

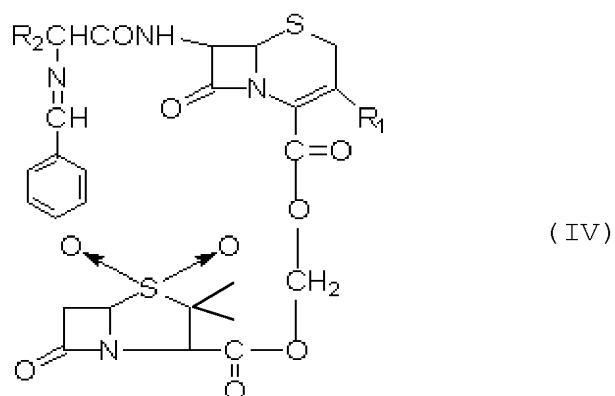
## AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

Claim 24 has been amended and claims 16-23 and 25-27 have been cancelled. A listing of the claims follows and replaces all prior listing of the claims.

## LISTING OF THE CLAIMS

Claims 1-23 (Cancelled).

Claim 24 (Allowed): [[A]] An intermediate compound represented by formula (IV) as follows:



wherein,  $R_1 = \text{CH}_3$  or  $\text{Cl}$ ;  $R_2 =$  , or .

Claims 25-27 Cancelled).